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Grape Jelly	4-lb tins, each	55c
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Pumpkin	Choice Quality, large tins, 2 for	25c
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Sherriff's Jelly Powders	6 Packets for	25c
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Dinner Salted Sodas	per packet	18c
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### Local Curlers

#### Visit Calgary

A rink of Crossfield curlers participated in the MacDonald-Brier competition held in Calgary at the conclusion of the Annual Bonspiel, at the week-end. They were included in the unit consisting of some strong rinks as follows: Howard Palmer, Calgary Club; Herb Black, Glencoe Club; Kirkham-Wagner, rink of Innisfail.

Black won out and will play off with H. Deaton who won through in the other unit which consisted of 5 rinks. Probably on Saturday at 2 p.m., at North Hill Club, Calgary, to decide the South Alberta Winner of R.C.C.C. who will then play off with the Edmonton winner to decide who shall repre-

### Win First Hockey Game.

After all, our young puckchasers can really play hockey. This was found out Friday last, January 21st, when the local boys beat the Didsbury team to the tune of a 3-2 score.

Jack Fleming, playing his very best, scored the first goal, this induced John Carmichael to push the puck home twice.

Our boys have started to play. Yes, we feel sure that from now on they will bring home all the bacon provided.

Let us encourage these boys, and in the end we can be proud.

sent Alberta at Toronto.

The local rink consisted of C. H. McMillan, Skip; Wes Shantz, third; Mayor Wood, second, and Fred Becker, lead. The men were well treated and really enjoyed themselves.

### Former Editor Complimented

C.D.S. Shaver

A very enjoyable surprise party for Mr. G. Y. McLean was held Thursday, Jan. 20th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Murdoch. About twenty five members of the Dramatic Club went out and enjoyed an evening of 'Pick up Sticks'. Mr. Cameron won first prize and Henry Poffenroth consolation. A delightful lunch was served by the hostesses at midnight. After lunch the president, Ken McRae presented Mr. McLean with a "Sunbeam" Shave - Master Electric Razor from the members of the C. D. S. in appreciation of the splendid service which he so willingly gave this society. "Mac" will be greatly missed, not only by the Dramatic Society, but by the community as a whole. Crossfield's loss is Macleod's gain. All members of the C. D. S. wish Mac good luck in his new home.

All persons present at the party wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. G. Murdoch and family for their kind hospitality.

### Holding The Bag.

The B. of T. Danco held on Friday evening last was very poorly attended, probably owing to the last minute change. This dance had been substituted for the Amateur night which had to be dropped owing to lack of entries. We are wondering what has become of all the local amateur talent.

Mr. G. Y. McLean was presented with a handsome club bag as a small token of appreciation for his work on behalf of the community. The net proceeds of this dance were nil, and as it is still necessary to raise funds to finish paying for the Community Booth another dance will be held at an early date.

### Legion Smoker

#### Fairly Well Attended

With several visitors from Calgary and Aome the Canadian Legion Smoker, January 26th, was fairly well attended.

The evening's entertainment was opened by a few words of welcome from President Mossop. Padre Currie and Capt. Gainer, Edger Rhys and Scotty McQueen favoured the audience with songs, and Piper Wm. Russel entertained with a few selections on the bagpipes. The merry throng then indulged in community singing, with Captain Crowe accompanying on the piano.

Sergeant Welsh showed pictures of the Pilgrimage to Vimy for an hour. These were so good that it is hoped they will be shown to the public. A. Montgomery then moved a vote of thanks to the artists. Comrades McFadyen, McIntyre, and McCool who were on fatigue duty served the refreshments.

### Eastern Stockmen

#### Visit Crossfield

R. Belleu, the largest horse dealer in Eastern Canada, and Jock McPherson, both of Montreal, who have been buying horses and shipping to Scotland, visited R. B. James. While here they purchased a load of horses, priced from 50 to 100 dollars for farm horses. They report a good horse sale this spring, at 20 dollars less than before.

### Madden Murmurs

From Our Own Correspondent

The Madden Ladies Club held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Voden on January 21. The following Executive was appointed for the coming year.

Pres. Mrs. King Vice. Pres. Mrs. Banta-Treas. Mrs. Hagerty. Secret. (continued on page four)

### Corporal Cameron Arrests Johnson

Before Magistrate Gordon, Saturday last, Oscar Johnson, of Catoline, was fined five dollars and cost for leaving a trailer, loaded with hogs, on the highway, without lights. Corporal D. Cameron arrested the offender.

### Ladies Aid Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Crossfield United Church Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Methal Thursday January 13.

The new officers for 1938 are: Honorable president Mrs. M. McKory, Honorable Vice President, Mrs. M. Laut, President, Mrs. C. Fox; Vice President, Mrs. P. H. Fleming; Secretary, Mrs. E. Hoover; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Belshaw. The ladies report a very successful year for 1938 and wish to thank all who helped make it so.

Cameron Carmichael says the local boys won the hockey game against the Didsbury pucksters at the Didsbury arena, by a score of 3-2.

### United Church Y.P.S. Special Meeting

The regular meeting of the Crossfield Young Peoples Society will be held at the home of Miss W. Laut at 8.15 on Monday, January 31st. Arrangement have been made to have Mr. Bert Pettigrew of Calgary speak on Young People's organizations. All Young People of the community are invited to attend.

### Apology.

Being misinformed we published an article on the Rebekahs entertaining the oddfellows.

This week you will find the article, as it should have been, under the caption, "Rebekahs Entertain".

We humbly apologize to Mrs. A. Edlund and all the officers of the Rebekah Lodge, for this error, and assure you that the necessary precautions will be taken in the future.

### Keoma Citizen

#### Complimented

Mr. John Altonby and Doug Schofield, were guests at a dance in honour of Mr. Frank Altonby's sister-in-law, Mrs. C. Gordon Beatty (nee Kyke McKay), of Keoma. The dance was sponsored by the bride's mother, Mrs. Hector McKay of Keoma, and family. A large crowd of friends gathered to honour the bride, who was presented with a purse and many presents. Music was supplied by the Mandar in Garden Orchestra, and everyone had a wonderful time.

Unfortunately, Mr. Beatty was unable to attend, being called to Chicago on business.

### Special Services Baptist Church

For the next two Sundays, the Pastor of the Baptist Church will be devoting both his morning and evening messages to "The Theory of Evolution, for the Facts of Science." With so much ado over the theory of evolution and the Biblical account of creation, these will present four challenging messages: What does true science teach? What are the most eminent scientists saying? Is true science contrary to the teaching of the Bible? Come and hear the answers as given in the light of modern research. Everybody is welcome. Our morning service is at 11 o'clock and our evening service at 8 o'clock.

## Co-Operative U.F.A. Store

CROSSFIELD

PHONE 21

### Grocery Specials:

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Oranges 25cs, 2 doz. 53c  
220s, 2 doz. 59c

Onions, 5 lbs. 25c

Dates, fresh stock, 3 lbs. 25c

Jello-O Chocolate Pudding, 3 pkts 25c

### Hardware Specials:

Handy Lanterns, 95c

Flashlights, complete 85c - \$1.75

Copper Boilers, \$3.39

Padlocks, 2 keys 15c

5 String Broom, 45c

### Crockery Specials:

Fancy Tea Pots, reg. 75c for 59c

Gold band Cups and Saucers, 6 for 69c

Thin Glass Tumblers, 6 for 29c

Fancy Cups and Saucers, 2 for 25c

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### Rebekahs Entertain.

(held over from last week)

Justice Rebekah Lodge held a banquet and social evening for their families on Friday January 14.

About fifty adults and ten or twelve children sat down to a well laden table of turkey, chicken and all that goes with it.

Miss Edna Ableman sang a solo of welcome and then everyone did justice to the ladies cookery.

After the table had been cleared the entertainment committee took charge. Gordon Fox gave a reading and Mary Karen Edlund a piano solo. Contests were enjoyed by young and old alike interspersed with piano solos, by the Misses Richardson and vocal solos by Miss Edna Ableman.

About midnight the ladies again set forth a table laden with eats

### Concert and Dance

#### At Inverlea School

A concert, sponsored by the Inverlea and Sunshine groups was held at the Inverlea School Thursday last January 20.

A crowd of young people gathered to enjoy "Hiss she's a mon", and "Polishing Henry".

These two plays were repeated by request from holiday concerts were again enjoyed.

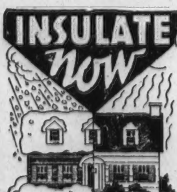
A dance, after which the crowd dispersed.

Use those columns. Tell us who is visiting at your home."

and everyone served themselves.

After a hearty vote of thanks to the different committees in charge.

The evening was voted an entire success by all.



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3 pints for less than 20¢

Ingredients—one package Jell-O Ice Cream Powder, one quart half milk, half cream. Work—mix in bowl, put on window sill outside in cold weather, stir two or three times. The whole job will take two minutes of your time. And the ice cream? You'll be proud to say "I made it myself." Grocers sell Jell-O Ice Cream Powder.

**JELL-O ICE CREAM POWDER**

## Testing Time For Radio

Much is likely to be heard at the pending session of Parliament on the subject of the problems of radio broadcasting in Canada and the policies pursued by the Infant Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Born in September, 1936, the C.B.C. has been operating now for over a year and it is now possible to discern to some extent the direction in which it is tending and to compare its announced objectives when it was organized with its achievements to date, and there is every indication that this will be done when members of Parliament get an opportunity to overhaul the system and review first year policies and practices.

That there will be conflicting viewpoints and wide variations of opinions as to the success or otherwise of nationalized broadcasting as practised under the new management is a foregone conclusion; and this is to be expected when it is remembered that the tastes and opinions of the "customers" differ tremendously, not only in different parts of the country, but within the confines of every community and even in the same household.

### To Canvass All Phases

In the overhauling process all phases of Canadian radio broadcasting are destined to come under review, including choice and quality and range of programs, the sources of programs and their effect on the promotion and development of Canadian talent, the revenues and expenditures of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, the question of competition with other advertising media and generally, the future of radio broadcasting in this country.

During the discussions likely to ensue frequent references will undoubtedly be made to the avowed objectives of nationalized radio broadcasting in this country, broadly outlined in a recent issue of the Financial Post as: "(1) To develop purely Canadian programmes of high standard which would stem Americanization of the air in Canada; and (2) To extend radio facilities to all parts of the country."

If the Financial Post has correctly diagnosed these objectives they will unquestionably be used as yardsticks to measure the corporation's achievements to date.

### Some Progress Noted

With respect to the latter there will be general agreement that some progress has been made in extension of radio facilities with all parts of the country as the ultimate objective, whether or not there is unanimity with respect to details. Physical facilities have been extended on money borrowed from the government and revenue from the \$2 license fee exacted, in theory at least, from all radio users and additional extensions are projected.

But the other objective, that of building up a Canadian repertoire of programs with all-Canadian talent as its backbone is destined to prove a bone of contention. No matter to what extent radio users do or do not welcome the recent introduction of American broadcasts over C.B.C. facilities, a good deal of criticism of this policy is already in evidence and is construed in some quarters as a departure from one of the two principal objectives of the Canadian national system.

### Dissatisfaction Voiced

Testimony to dissatisfaction on this score, both on economic and patriotic grounds, is forthcoming in articles in two of the most powerful Eastern publications in issues published on the same date. The Financial Post and (Toronto) Saturday Night sharply assailed this extension into American territory for programs for Canadian consumption. In effect they point out that this is a reversal of public policy and state that the American contracts not only result in the weakening of Canadian magazines and daily and weekly newspapers by the diversion of advertising revenue from these media to the radio system but also weaken "the bulwarks of national unity in this country."

Pointing out that contracts have been signed with American advertisers for programs designed to yield the C.B.C. a revenue of \$600,000 for this year, the Financial Post says:

"Not only does such a proposition defeat the very purpose for which this expensive national system was created but it constitutes a direct subsidy to one form of advertising at the expense of other forms. For the C.B.C. could not offer the bargain rates at which this time is being sold unless it were backed by the public purse. And, furthermore, the money being spent by American broadcasters will be diverted (in part at least) from other forms of advertising, such as Canadian national publications, newspapers and magazines—publications which not only give employment to Canadians but which are the national bulwarks of unity in this country."

### Diversion Of Revenue

In similar vein on the same subject Saturday Night declared, in part: "Among the advertising media which are directly and seriously affected are both the national periodicals and the daily and weekly newspaper press. There is only a certain amount of money available for nationwide advertising in Canada and the sum thus diverted into the channel of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's system will come largely out of the sum which would otherwise be expended with these periodicals... the transfer of this advertising to another medium involves a definite weakening of the editorial contents of all the affected Canadian periodicals."

These and other aspects of the national radio problem make it clear that the time has arrived when there should be a stock taking and future policies carefully and clearly defined.

England received \$23,365,000 in re-entertaining taxes in the first seven months of 1937.

We never can fathom why photography slanders us no as we grow older.

Nourishing Food for Hungry Appetites

**PURITY FLOUR**  
Best for all your Baking

## Real Friend Of Dominion

Curlers' Captain 'Opened British Market For Canadian Cattle'

William Henderson, captain of the Scottish curling team visiting Canada, has more than the interest of a sportsman in this Dominion.

For more than 30 years he battled in Britain to permit the export there of live Canadian cattle, mobilized the opinion of British farmers who wanted to fatten Canadian cattle, and finally won a victory which has meant millions of dollars to Canadian cattlemen.

"Canadian cattle," he recalled, "were being kept out of the British Isles because a shipment received in Dundee in 1892 was supposed to include cattle suffering from pleural pneumonia."

"That is an extremely infectious disease. But it was never really identified in the cattle that were then seized and they were destroyed before anything else could be done about them."

"All Canadian cattle were then debarr'd from shipment to Britain unless they were slaughtered immediately at the port of arrival and the farmers of Scotland thought that it was unfair because the disease had never been known in Canada."

"Was it to protect the home growers of cattle that Canadian livestock was held out?" the reporter asked.

"The late Joseph Chamberlain admitted to me that it was really to conciliate the Irish, who were shipping many cattle across the Irish Sea," Mr. Henderson said.

An organization calling itself the Free Importation of Canadian Cattle Association of Great Britain was formed and this continued to battle for the abolition of the fictitious health barriers.

"People used to argue with me," Mr. Henderson said, "that the national market of Canada was in the United States, but I used to reply that even so Canadian cattle should have free access to the home market."

## Duties Were Exacting

Chief Of Meat And Canned Goods Division At Ottawa Retires

After 30 years' service, Dr. Robert Barnes, chief of the Meat and Canned Goods Division, Health of Animals Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture, has retired on superannuation.

Dr. Barnes came to Canada from Birmingham, Lincolnshire, England, as a young boy with his parents who settled in Middlesex County, Ontario, where he obtained his early education. He was graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College in 1893.

Throughout the years in Canada his exacting duties in connection with the inspection of the millions of animals slaughtered every year both for consumption as fresh meat and for canning, with thoroughness and efficiency.

Dr. Barnes' two principal hobbies in private life were poultry and dogs and for many years he has been conspicuously and constructively associated with the leading poultry and kennel associations.

His retirement after a long period of useful public service has been well earned and his co-workers and his wide circle of friends throughout the Dominion wish for him many years of good health and enjoyment of life.

## Parcel Was Harmless

Supposed Bomb Turned Out To Be Hair-Curling Powder

A hair-curling party developed at a West Side police station in New York, when a textile company head, brought in a package and remarked excitedly:

"I think it's a bomb!"

Police experts gingerly began to examine the package, which contained fourteen small tin-foil packets, filled with a grayish powder. In the open air, the packages began to grow warm. Police summoned the fire department. Then it came out. The powder was to be used in curling women's hair and heats up under certain conditions.

August Grader, a handmaster, left England for America 51 years ago but took the wrong boat and landed in Capetown, South Africa, where he remained until he died recently at the age of 75.

Inventor of the Metcalf indicator for measuring turbine revolutions and of apparatus for coating ships at sea, Captain Henry W. Metcalf, 75, died recently at Canterbury, Eng.

Workers in mills and factories where the temperatures are terrific take salt in tablet form to prevent heat prostration.

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on Friday Night  
**CANADA-1938**  
IMPERIAL TOBACCO'S  
INSPIRING PROGRAM  
EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT  
On a National  
Coast to Coast Network

## The Flying Scot

World's Best Known Train In Service For 75 Years

The "Flying Scotman" has pulled out of King's Cross at 10 a.m. every day for 75 years, but it would surprise regular travellers to learn that for the first 25 there were no third-class carriages! In the beginning it was called the "Special Nine-Hour Express," but in November, 1887, third-class carriages were added and the time speeded up.

The name "Flying Scotman," coined by a London cable, soon became popular among hansom-cab drivers, and the public took a fancy to it. Later, the train was officially christened. To-day the journey takes seven hours and 20 minutes, and unless the passes in the north are badly moved up, the train is never a minute late.

The "Flying Scot" is the best-known train in the world, and not only held the world's long-distance record for many years, but is the only train in Britain to have an all-electric restaurant and a modern hair-dressing saloon.

**TAKE YOUR EASE IN DAINTY NEGLIGEE THAT CAN BE MADE IN NO TIME**  
By Anne Adams



What fun to relax... to "take life easy"—if you can wear a glamorous negligee like Pattern 4547 when you're doing it! Isn't it exciting to know that you can have this luxurious-looking robe with only a few hours of cutting and stitching? What's more, this versatile model may wear a self-lining or one in contrasting hue—so that you may reverse it if you wish. And yet this style is so easy to make that you'll want to run up several versions in warm wool for now—synthetic crepe for later. The flowing, raglan sleeves, soft shawl collar, and sweeping skirt are becoming to everyone—a "four-teen" as well as a "forty-four."

Pattern 4547 is available in misses' and women's sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44. Size 16 takes 8½ yards 36 inch fabric. Send 5¢ cent (20¢) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

The following notice was seen outside a village church:

"The Rev. ... will preach here next Sunday morning and evening, after which the church will be closed for necessary repairs."

Not one fatal road accident was reported in the square mile of city of London in a recent period of 10 weeks.

It is some sort of a criticism of radio talent that right now the most popular thing on the air waves is a ventriloquist's dummy.

"So your daughter's getting married. Is it to be an old-fashioned wedding?"

"Yes, I'm footing the bills."

The food and drink consumed each year by the average man weighs about a ton.

## Rarely Remains Idle

Money Spent By Railways For Materials Kept In Circulation

People are apt to forget that, apart from the direct employment given railway workers in the provision of new equipment, thousands of individuals not on their pay-rolls benefit when the systems give orders for rolling stock.

An official of the C.N.R. has mentioned the fact that that system alone last year bought forest products to the amount of 315,700,000 feet, not all of it by any means utilized in the production of ties. A whole lot of this wood went into the construction and repair of equipment.

And so with other materials of which the railways are the purchasers. When they issue orders for new coaches or locomotives, the firms building rolling stock, together with their employees, benefit, and so do the primary industries which contribute the raw materials.

Not only great employers of labor in the direct sense, the railways are also amongst the mainstays of national industry in the work which is the result of the orders placed by them.

This was seen during the depression years when reduced traffic led to a curtailment of such orders. Many an industry which was accustomed to profit from railway orders felt the pinch. But with the improvement in traffic, there has arisen a need for more and better equipment. Millions of dollars are being spent by the railways upon the provision of this equipment, and hundreds of subsidiary industries benefit.

The dollar which is spent upon railway transportation rarely remains idle. It is quickly distributed in wages or in the purchase of supplies, thus spreading activity and prosperity.—Brookville Recorder and Times.

## Suspended Animation

St. Louis Doctor Claims He Has Halted Life By Frost

Creation of an ultra-frozen state of matter in which life is suspended indefinitely but can be revived again, was announced before the American Association for the Advancement of Science at Indianapolis.

Dr. B. J. Layet, of St. Louis University, declared he had been able to produce suspended animation in plants and some small animals by taking them from room temperature to several hundred degrees below zero within the fraction of a second. Both the plants and animals were brought back to life after their life processes had been stopped by cooling.

These plants and animals were not frozen, Layet declared, since freezing destroys living cells. Instead, they were put into a vitreous state by the rapid cooling. A vitreous substance is something like glass, which cools without the formation of crystals.

Discussing the dreams of fiction writers who have suggested the possibility of suspending life in a human being and reviving him 1,000 years later, Layet declared that such a thing is "theoretically possible," but highly impractical.

## Not So Long Ago

Many Of Our Common Things Were Unknown In 1912

Alexander Woolcott, in Columnist, says the man of 1912 had never heard of daylight saving. Nor rayon, jazz, insulin, G-men, nor Soviets. He had never heard of radio, nor seen a talking picture, nor listened to the whirr of an electric ice-box, never seen an animated cartoon, nor a Neon light. His very ideas were different. Twenty-five years ago he thought a job was something any man could get who was willing to work. And war? Why, war was a remote practice carried on only by remote, comic-opera countries in Central America and the Balkans.

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**TRY KRUSCHEN**  
FREE TRIAL OFFER NOW ON

Ask your druggist for the 76 Giant Pills. It contains one smaller bottle and a trial size bottle. Use the trial bottle first and if not satisfied return the regular bottle unopened and the price will be refunded.

**GET YOURS NOW**

## World's Largest Telescope

Will Be Erected On Top Of California Mountain

A giant steel bearing to support the world's largest telescope atop a California mountain must be perfect to be perfect. It's a job which engineers at the plant in Philadelphia, building the mounting, won't and can't hurry. George H. Froebel, in charge of the work, said polishing the bearing and journal on which it rides will take at least three months.

"We've got to machine the bearing and polish it to just the right degree of an imperfect circle," Froebel said, "so that when we get the thing out there and get it assembled the bearing will fall into a perfect circle. We've got to know how imperfect to make it to make it perfect."

There are 370 tons in the horseshoe in which the telescope tube will swing, and its own weight throws the bearing out of shape. The bearing is 46 feet in diameter.

Froebel said he expected the frame will be ready for shipment next summer.

## A New Dairy Queen

Holstein Produced 1325.5 Pounds Of Butter During Year's Test

A new queen of the dairy world, Femco Alma, a purebred Holstein of outstanding butter producing ability, has been crowned in Breckenridge, Minn. By producing 1325.5 pounds of butter during a year's test, Femco Alma became the record holder among junior two-year-old cows of all breeds and the only cow less than that age producing more than 1,250 pounds of butter in 365 days.

## Immediate Results

Man In Prince Albert Will Believe Advertising Pays

How well newspaper advertising pays, Bill Kernaghan of Prince Albert, has learned. His dog had been missing for two days. He went to the local daily newspaper to insert an advertisement in the lost and found column, paid his money, and walked out to find the missing canine waiting in the home outside the door.

The paper refunded the money.

White Canada plum blossoms turn pink when they fade.

Our nearest star is 275,000 times as far away as the sun.

## A MISTAKE TO WAIT

WHEN "ACID INDIGESTION" STARTS



The fastest way to "alkalize" is to carry your alkalizer with you. That's what thousands of people who use genuine Phillips' come in tiny, pepper-mint flavored tablets—in a flip-flop for pocket or purse. Then you are always ready.

Use it this way. Take 2 Phillips' tablets—equal in "alkalizing" effect to 2 teaspoonsful of liquid Phillips' from the bottle. At once you feel "gas," nausea, "over-crowding" from hyper-acidity begin to ease. "Acid headaches," "acid breath," over-acid stomach are corrected at the source. This is the quick way to become your own distress-avoider.

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## LACKING SUPPORT FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS OFFICE

Paris.—Premier Camille Chautemps and his government have resigned, the Popular Front coalition shattered by the withdrawal of Socialist supporters.

The resignation came at a time when France faced severe labor unrest and a weakened franc that slipped on world exchanges despite government efforts to support it.

Chautemps and his cabinet handed their resignations to President Albert Lebrun when it became apparent that withdrawal of support by nine Socialist ministers within the government left no alternative. The Socialists, headed by Vice-Premier Blum, brought on the crisis by submitting their resignations to the premier, stating the Popular Front was broken up and they could no longer remain in the government.

The Socialists made up about half of the cabinet, the remainder being from the Radical-Socialists, headed by Chautemps himself. The Socialist decision to withdraw came after party members retired from the chamber of deputies for a private meeting to decide whether or not they could continue to back up the government in its fiscal and labor policies.

Particularly at stake was the premier's firm stand against any control of exchange.

Daladier's announcement came spectacularly at a time when the chamber was preparing to vote confidence or non-confidence in the government.

Chautemps, in his third speech of the all-night session, angered Communists and Socialists when he told the Communists "I give you your liberty" after they asked for freedom from the Popular Front solidarity, indicating they would abstain from voting in the confidence ballots.

Socialists immediately withdrew for their conference. Feeling that the Communists had broken the Leftist coalition that has governed France since the spring of 1936, they withdrew from the government.

Chautemps' cabinet was formed in June, 1937, to succeed the first Popular Front government headed by Blum. Blum resigned when the senate refused him decree powers to handle France's financial difficulties. He then entered the Chautemps cabinet.

## Will Be Considered

**Farm Machine Bill To Receive Attention Early In Session**

Ottawa.—Canada's \$50,000,000-a-year farm implement bill will be given early consideration in the House of Commons with the report of a parliamentary committee forming the basis for a discussion left over from last year.

After some 40 meetings at which an exhaustive inquiry was made into prices, manufacturing, marketing costs and other relevant aspects of the industry, the committee presented a report which was moved for adoption the day parliament prorogued. The motion was left standing.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King gave the house assurance that at an early stage of the next session the opportunity would be given for a full discussion of the committee's recommendations.

Conclusions of the committee were that the farmer was paying too much for farm implements and that tariff and other action should be taken by the government to bring the price level down.

## Commission Hearings

Ottawa.—Dates for the Alberta and British Columbia hearings of the royal commission on Dominion-provincial relations have been switched, the commission offices announced. The British Columbia hearing will open at Victoria, March 9, and the Alberta hearing at Edmonton, March 21.

## Scouts Urged To Help

Ottawa.—An appeal to Boy Scouts throughout the nation to assist the Red Cross in the China relief fund campaign has been issued from Dominion headquarters of the Boy Scouts Association following a meeting of the association's executive board. The campaign opens Jan. 23.

## British Soldiers slain

Jerusalem.—Several British soldiers—the number was not immediately revealed—were killed when Arabs attacked a military patrol post near Jerusalem.

## Abandon Search For Flyer

**Convinced Fate Of Aviator Will Not Be Known Until Melting Of Snow**

Winnipeg.—Search for Mike Savchyn ended with ground and aerial crews convinced only melting of winter snow in Riding Mountain national park will reveal the fate of the 22-year-old Sifton, Man., flyer, missing since leaving Souris, Man., Dec. 30, to fly 125 miles north to his home. Search pilots believe Savchyn's plane crashed and was destroyed by fire, snow hiding the wreckage from eyes of observers.

Planes may search the area after winter snows melt, before spring foliage appears on deciduous trees in the park when wreckage could be more readily located.

Last of five planes to end the nine-day search, a Free-Press-chartered craft landed at Winnipeg from search headquarters, Dauphin, 155 miles northwest.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police announced the ground search was ended, at least until spring.

## Broke All Records

**Prince Albert Stock Yards Unusually Busy During 1937**

Prince Albert, Sask.—In volume of livestock marketed, 1937 broke all records at Prince Albert stock yards, Manager G. T. Watson, northern Saskatchewan Co-operative Stockyards Limited, reported.

The year 1937 was the only one in which volume figures reached within striking distance of last year's.

Receipts, including through shipping of cattle, calves, hogs, sheep and horses, totaled \$5,143 in 1937 and \$2,465 in 1936. The corresponding figure for 1936 was 41,718 and for 1933, the poorest year since 1925, 25,662.

Due to lower prevailing prices, the value of livestock handled in 1937 was below the corresponding figure for 1928, but higher than that for 1936.

Value of all animals marketed in 1937 is estimated as \$885,176 compared with \$1,231,404 in 1928 and \$806,818 in 1936.

## Canned Foods

**Says Many Are Ignorant Of The Values Of Food**

St. Catharines, Ont.—Feeding a family from a can is nothing to be ashamed of, R. W. Arengo-Jones, central experimental farm, Ottawa, told the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers Association.

"Housewives should not be ashamed of feeding their families out of cans," he said. "They are so ignorant of the values of food and the ways to buy food that most housewives need instruction from trained men who should make tours throughout the country advising them of these food values."

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## Refrigerated Automobiles

Detroit.—The automatically refrigerated automobile to make summer driving comfortable will not be long in making its appearance, L. W. Child, air conditioning engineer, said in a paper prepared for delivery at the annual meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

## Will Send Books

**Reading Matter To Be Provided For Drouth Areas**

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## THE U. S. TRADE DEAL WITH ITALY IS IN SUSPENSION

Washington.—The United States' refusal to recognize King Victor Emmanuel of Italy as emperor of Ethiopia has resulted in suspension of the Italo-American negotiations for a commercial treaty.

Informed sources said Mussolini required the new treaty to be made in the name of Victor Emmanuel as King of Italy and emperor of Ethiopia and that State Secretary Hull refused.

Negotiations, they said, would now lapse for some months, during which the situation may be clarified.

The stalemate occurred suddenly when negotiations were proceeding excellently. Practically all obstacles had been removed and the two countries had already agreed to an ad interim understanding, announced last month, whereby Italy retreated from her closed economy position to the traditional most-favored-nation treatment.

Officials here are at a loss to understand Mussolini's insistence, since commercial treaties were made by Italy with other countries in 1936 and 1937 without bringing in Victor Emmanuel's rank as emperor of Ethiopia.

Mussolini now demands the preamble to the treaty specifically state Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano is making it in the name of his Imperial Majesty, Victor Emmanuel, King of Italy and Emperor of Ethiopia. It would also be signed by Ciano as representative of the king and emperor.

The United States, it is learned, tried through Ambassador Phillips in Rome to insert in the treaty a paragraph to the effect that the United States' signature of the pact was not to be construed as a recognition, de facto or de jure, of the Italian Ethiopia empire. Mussolini refused.

## Will Make Annual Trip

**Trust Fund Enables British Schoolboys To Visit Canada**

London.—W. H. Rhodes, of Bradford and London, chairman of the Allied Industrial Services, donated \$125,000 for the establishment of a special trust fund under which 50 secondary schoolboys will be enabled to visit Canada annually during the next 10 years.

Last year Mr. Rhodes took 30 schoolboys on a return trip to Canada as a coronation gift. The new scheme, under the patronage of Earl Baldwin, will be known as the W. H. Rhodes Canada Educational Trust.

## ILLNESS STOPS TOUR



Lord Baden-Powell, 81-year-old Chief and founder of the Boy Scouts, who has been forced to abandon his visit to Rhodesia and South Africa due to illness. The Chief Scout will remain in Kenya until he returns to London in April.

## Opposes State Medicine

**Dr. Morris Fishbein Thinks It Is Not Good Idea**

Windsor, Ont.—The medical profession must give leadership in the field of medicine or that right will be taken by the state, Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association, said in an address before the Essex County Medical Association.

Although the state had done much for medicine, particularly in the field of public health, "there are many things the state cannot do but is trying to do," Dr. Fishbein said. "And they are advocating these things in ignorance of what is the practice of medicine."

He contended state medicine would mean deterioration in medical service, loss of the profession's initiative, and degradation of medical care to a level far below that of the present level in Canada and the United States.

Dr. Fishbein declared himself against any attempt to establish a Communist, Socialist or state-controlled system of medicine on the North American continent.

"People in the great democracies are better off than anywhere else in the world to-day," he contended. "What we want to do is to maintain this system, not discard it for some untried experiment."

## Study Criminology

**Would Send Men To Regina For Instruction**

Edmonton.—Intent on keeping up with the rapid advance in modern criminology, Chief Constable Shute communicated with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer commanding in Regina for information concerning the training school held there for police recruits and officers.

"We have capable instructors now but if we could add to their knowledge I would like to send a man to the R.C.M.P. in Regina," Chief Shute explained.

Calgary police are going to school twice weekly at Calgary to obtain instruction from Sgt. William Eager, trained in the Regina school.

## Student Safe In Athens

**Canadian Boy Held By Italian Authorities Was Released**

Ottawa.—Robert Musk, young Ottawa and Prince Albert, Sask., student, reported held in jail last month by Italian authorities for two days without explanation, is "now okay" in Athens.

H. J. Hilley, a friend of Musk's living near here in suburban Lindenlea, said a cable from the 20-year-old student told of his safe arrival in the Greek capital.

Former student at Ashbury college and Lister collegiate here, Musk wrote from Naples Dec. 18 that he had been seized by Italian officials between that city and Brindisi and jailed Dec. 8 and 9 after a long examination in French during which he was unable to determine the reasons for his detention.

The British consul at Naples finally obtained his release. In his letter, Musk said the consul told him he believed his detention was due to the "anti-British campaign going on there."

Musk left Canada on a grain boat last July.

## SAYS FARMING MUST BE PLACED ON SOUND BASIS

Saskatoon.—Re-establishing agriculture on a sound financial basis was the most effective means of economic recovery in Canada, asserted J. G. Mitchell, president of the Saskatchewan Field Husbandry Association, at the annual meeting of that organization here.

By legislative means, through grants and with other aids, agriculture could be re-established in such a manner that every other industry in the country would benefit, the president believed. Moreover, the benefit would be a lasting one. The unemployment situation could be alleviated through financial aid for agriculture.

Mere balancing of government budgets under conditions such as those now prevailing was not important. A budget was not properly balanced unless all of the assets were taken care of, and the main assets at this time were the men, women and children in Canada.

Minorities, the speaker said, should not be allowed to hold a whip hand over the people. Happiness was the first object of business on the world's agenda. Consumption of the means of happiness was suggested as sound policy.

Belief that southern Saskatchewan would "come back" was also expressed. Southern Saskatchewan had contributed in the past to the development of the province, and in the future it would continue to do so, Mr. Mitchell said. He believed that the crisis would not be so intense in Saskatchewan as the present. The work of the prairie farms rehabilitation act and program would ensure lasting benefits.

A passing reference was made to the fantasy of W. G. Street, British agricultural man who has made derogatory statements about Saskatchewan in the British Isles. "It is strange how impulsively wrong some people determine to be," Mr. Mitchell said in this regard. He told of digging wells on his farm, and spreading the dirt from a 100-foot depth on top of the land with a harrow. This had grown good wheat. "So you see, all the land hasn't blown away," he said.

The speaker warned against criticism of Saskatchewan unless the critic had some constructive program to offer.

Of the seed situation, Mr. Mitchell asserted the S.F.H.A. had a definite responsibility. The welfare of the country was reflected in the export trade, and the export trade depended to a large extent upon the quality of grain produced in Canada. Conservation of 2,000,000 bushels of the best of the new rust-resistant varieties of wheat, for use in the future when rust and drought struck Saskatchewan, was suggested by the president.

Standardization of grain types, through the medium of the wheat board, was supported by Mr. Mitchell. He also suggested that scales equipped with type machinery, so that grain cars could be weighed and the weights recorded on paper, be installed in country elevators.

Professor Manley J. Champin, secretary of the association, spoke briefly on the work of the International Crop Improvement Association, and reported on the recent international hay and grain show at Chicago. As secretary of the S.F.H.A., Professor Champin is a director of the international body.

## VOTE IN IRELAND SEEN AS CLEVER POLITICAL MOVE

London.—Action of Prime Minister Viscount Craigavon in advancing the date of the Northern Ireland general election to Feb. 9 instead of early May was interpreted by observers here as a shrewd move to capitalize on the fact that partition may be an issue in the Anglo-Irish talks taking place in London.

The statement by Eamon de Valera, prime minister of Eire, that the 18-year-old division of Ireland into north and south will be raised by the Irish delegation has given the Northern Ireland premier a media-to-order election issue, they said.

At the same time, informed quarters said, it is unlikely partition will be too difficult of solution to take up much of the conference's time, they predicted.

Lord Craigavon recalled his frequently repeated declarations of the "loyal solidarity of the Ulster people" against reunion with the southern counties, adding:

"The opportunity now presents itself to allow the people to pronounce upon the issues themselves and I have no doubt as to the answer they will give."

If de Valera points a revolver at Britain—and at Ulster—he will receive a speedy answer," the Northern Whig, Conservative, declared in commenting on recent conversations.

Britain is well aware of the determined "war" of Northern Ireland to oppose to the utmost the fusion of Ulster with the south," the newspaper continued.

The Irish News, Nationalist, said "removal of the artificial barrier between Irishmen and Irishmen in their own country is essential if negotiations between England and Eire are to lead to better understanding."

## Replacing Old Guns

**Two New Ones Will Protect Harbor Entrance At Vancouver**

Vancouver.—Two new six-inch guns will be placed on the foreshore of Stanley park by the department of national defence for protection of First Narrows, entrance to Vancouver's harbor, was announced by R. E. Whillans, chairman of the Vancouver parks board.

Holland told the board he had received a communication from the defence department informing him guns which protected the harbor entrance since 1914 would be replaced by two of a new type.

The new guns would be placed 300 feet back from the foreshore of the park at a spot known as Ferguson Point. From there they could command part of English bay and Burrard inlet, outside the harbor entrance.

## Traffic Violations

**Ontario To Tighten Up On Court Prosecutions**

Toronto.—Ontario traffic act violations in Ontario which justify court proceedings the prosecution should be vigorous and the sentence adequate to the offence, according to Hon. G. D. Conant, attorney-general.

The motorcycle patrol force of the provincial police will be increased substantially. Crown attorneys have been instructed that intoxicated or reckless drivers shall be the particular target.

## Dies In Leper Colony

Montreal.—From a native leper colony in far-off Nigeria came word of the death of Dr. William J. Jotchman, 25, native of Montreal, who left London, England, only seven months ago to serve in "the white man's grave." Dr. Jotchman was one of the youngest students ever to graduate in medicine from McGill University.

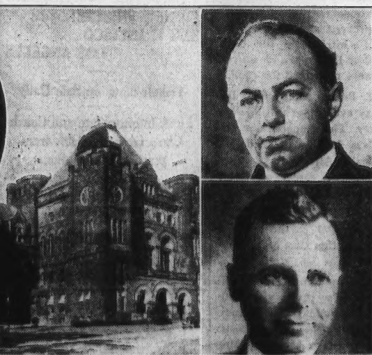
## Wheat Exports Low

Ottawa.—Canada's 1937 wheat exports were considerably less than half those of 1936 and their value was cut almost in two, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported. Flour exports were slightly lower in the same comparison, but the money value was higher.

## An Unusual Accident

Chicago.—Mrs. Helen Gullmanne, 33, placed a leash on her pet dog to take him for a walk. The dog ran around her, twisting the leash about her leg, and fell against a radiator and died of a fractured skull. 2238

## ONTARIO LEGISLATURE COMMENCES NEW SESSION IN FEBRUARY



Ontario's Twentieth Legislature will commence its first regular session on February 23rd, a month earlier than originally planned in order that its deliberations may be completed before the Rowell Commission commences its Ontario sittings. The session should be an interesting one with matters of taxation, power, etc., promising to come into debate. Above are pictures of Ontario's new Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Albert Matthews (left), while at the right are Premier Mitchell Hepburn (top), and Hon. Leopold Macaulay (bottom), new House Leader of the Conservative Opposition. The main picture shows an unusual view of the main building of the Parliament block.

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## Financial Statements.

This week's issue of the Chronicle contains the annual financial statements of the Village of Crossfield and the Crossfield Mutual Telephone Co. Also notices of the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the village, which will be held in the Fire Hall on Friday of this week, and the meeting of the Subscribers of the Telephone Co. to be held on Saturday, February 5th, at 2:30 o'clock.

We are all interested in the welfare of Crossfield and Community, so, ratepayers and subscribers this is your chance to voice your opinions, and if charges are to be made, these can be discussed, and everyone understand and know how to go about any new business that may arise.

## Business is Good.

Since taking over this business, we have been busy, and this week, instead of a supplement to carry all the news, we have just squeezed it into the three pages.

The interior of the Chronicle building is taking on a new coat of paint, and again in proper order, our reporters will sweep the streets and all the news available will be published as usual.

We still extend our invitation to call in and see us sometime.

## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange  
Director "Crop Testing Plan."

There has recently occurred a decided slump in the prices of stocks, shares and commodities in the United States. This has had its effect upon prices in Canada, including that of wheat.

Some people are fearful that an intense World-wide depression, such as occurred in 1929, is upon us again.

For my own part I do not agree with this pessimistic view. It seems to me there were very good reasons for the temporary recession that has taken place in the United States.

The prices of stocks, shares and commodities, including wheat, are not, I believe, too high; indeed not high enough in my own view; and for this simple reason.—The value of money in terms of wheat in Great Britain, the United States and Canada, has been inflated since 1914 by 69 percent.—In many other countries by a greater percentage—but the prices of commodities, stocks, shares and so forth, on the average, have only risen since 1914 by about 25 percent.

Eventually, it seems to me, the full 69 percent increase in the prices of all goods, commodities, wages and salaries, must take place, for history tells us that ever in the past the prices of all things have increased, after a time, by exactly the same percentage as the money was inflated.

Jingle bells  
Rolling stones  
Fatigue she tells  
On Chronicle bones.

## GOOZLES.

Joe and Fred parading around town with a sack and flashlight Saturday night. Do you suppose those boys have gone in for Snipe Hunting?

"Laughin", Dick looks very fit again. No doubt he will be able to pick his own hall-bearers now.

Don, Happy and Speedy looking very lonesome these days. Can it be, they miss the presence of Madam Queen, on Broadway?

We wonder what that piece of furniture was, that Les and Mabel were seen carrying home Sunday, last. Someone suggested it was unfinished, as he couldn't see the rockers underneath. Perhaps they were loose and carried inside.

Doug carrying parcels marked "this end up".

R. D. Sutherland is himself again. He was seen on the Main Stem with a cigarette in his mouth.

Archie and Georgie back in the good old school days.

Ernie and Margaret gliding along. 'Twas Sunday, January 23rd They imitated the falling bird, Ernie and Margaret gliding along.

Margaret wondering who was being escorted home by Archie Saturday night.

The Chronicle-donians are working on a new invention. Rubbers with non-skid treads.

"Ashes to ashes, dust to dust, but cigarette ashes go into the hat", says Loopin' Lou.

H. Ballam practising salesmanship.

The Katzenjammer Kids piling up discarded Christmas trees in front of the Laundry.

The Didsbury restaurant owner, looking for some Crossfield ladies and his cutlery.

George wonders where John picked up his amateur musicians, when the B. of T. had to cancel their show.

The N. S. & D. decorative artists and co. extremely busy in the U. F. A. hall.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF ROSE DELIA JONES late of the Village of Crossfield, in the Province of Alberta, married woman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Rose Delia Jones who died on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1936 are required to file with E. C. Collier, Barrister and Solicitor, 328A 8th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, by the 5th day of March A. D. 1938, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and any security held by them, and after that date, the attorney for the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or to his knowledge.

DATED this 24th day of January A. D. 1938.

E. C. COLLIER  
Solicitor for George Richard Jones,  
Attorney for O. E. Jones, Executor,  
Crossfield, Alberta.

## Financial Statement

OF THE  
CROSSFIELD MUTUAL TELEPHONE COMPANY LTD.  
FRANK LAUT Wm. G. MURDOCH T. TREDAWAY  
President Vice-President Secretary  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1937

CASH ACCOUNT	
RECEIPTS	Expenditures
Balance in Bank at 31-12-36. \$ 708.09	Supplies bought..... 220.65
Cash on hand at 31-12-36. 16.66	A. G. T. Tolls..... 554.67
Received on shares..... 60.00	A. G. T. Rentals..... 703.46
Paid by Subscribers..... 2214.19	Printing, Advertising, Stationery 24.78
	Troubleman..... 387.69
	Secretary and Audit Fees..... 314.30
	Sundries..... 30.00
	Pin Spaces. A. G. T. .... 70.89
Total \$2963.74	Total \$2306.20
	Bank Balance, 31-12-37 \$ 637.76
	Cash Balance, 31-12-37 49.76
Total \$2963.74	Total \$2963.74

BALANCE SHEET	
Assets	Liabilities
Plant Investment \$2,512.43	Share Capital Called in \$2,970.00
Supplies on hand 236.22	Accounts Payable Miscellaneous 52.96
Tools on hand 85.77	Advance Rentals etc. 52.17
Cash Account 455.54	Depreciation Reserve 232.00
Accounts Receivable 293.41	Surplus 513.35
Depreciation Fund 232.00	
Share Capital, Unpaid Calls 5.10	
Other Assets	
Total \$3,220.47	Total \$3,220.47

Authorized Capital: No. of Shares, 150 at \$30.00 each Total \$4500.00  
Shares Issued: No. 99 at \$30.00 each Total \$2970.00  
I have audited the accounts of Crossfield Mutual Telephone Company Limited and have compared the accounts and examined the vouchers and in my opinion, the above balance sheet is drawn up to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Company, according to the best of my information; explanations given me and as shown by the records, subject to any qualifications mentioned in my report.  
Certified Correct.  
G. Y. McLean, Auditor.

## CHATTER.

Lloyd rowing on the cement sidewalk.

Santa Claus swinging a paint brush.

Miss Wilda Laut was a Calgary visitor this week.

Mrs. G. Zang, of Calgary, was a visitor at her parental home, last week.

Scotty McQueen very much in demand these days as an entertainer.

Happy claims he gained ninety pounds in eight years, eating at the Oliver Cafe—Good place to eat, eh, Happy?

Fred Becker and Dick Nichol were business visitor to Calgary today, Thursday.

Mrs. A. D. Currie has been quite ill and has to remain quiet for sometime.

The Guild will meet at the Residence of Mrs. H. J. Reeves on Thursday February 3rd.

Messrs. Wm. Laut and W. E. Spivey attended the McCormick-dearing dealers' convention at the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, today, (Thursday).

## Madden Murmurs.

(continued from front page)

ary, Mrs. Parsons. The meeting was well attended and at the conclusion a lovely lunch was served.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Parsons Feb. 9

The Annual Meeting of the Beaver Dam Community Hall was held on January 14. The hall had a good year financially, and it was decided to proceed at once with the building of a kitchen on the back. The Board of Directors and officers for 1937 were re-elected for 1938.

Mrs. T. Priest entertained last Wednesday evening at a Bridge and Whist party. The winners were Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. MacKenzie and Mr. Wm. Tidball. After a very enjoyable evening of cards, a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Lloyd Havens and Hazel spent the weekend at the home of the former's mother Mrs. McEachern of Airdrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tidball and children were weekend visitors in Calgary. On Sunday they journeyed to Banff, with the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Garland, where they enjoyed the day's skiing.

Mr. Johnny Asakow had the misfortune to injure his arm quite seriously, in a wrestling bout at Dog Pound.

Mr. Stuart McLaren, who has been quite ill, after the removal of his tonsils, is now well on the road to recovery.

## Classified.

FOR SALE—Piano Correspondence Music Course. \$10.00 for 96 complete lessons. Apply Chronicle Office, P.O. Box F. (ca)

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Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will

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of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock

p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

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Church Notices

United Church Services

Sunday, January 30th.

Crossfield...Sunday School...11:15 a.m.

Crossfield...Public Worship...7:30 p.m.

Rodney...Public Worship...11:00 a.m.

Floral...Sunday School...2:30 p.m.

Rev. S. Hunt, B.A.B.D., Minister

Church of the Ascension

(ANGLICAN)

Sunday, January 30th

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Bible Class 11:15 a.m.

Jan 30th, 7:30 p.m. Evensong

Rev. A. D. CURRIE, Rector

Crossfield Baptist Church

Regular Sunday Services

11:00 a.m. Morning Service

12:30 noon Sunday School

8:00 p.m. Evening Service

Services at Abernethy 3:00 p.m.

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## Advance Notices

Friday next is the night of the N.S. & D's annual Round-up. Remember, and be out.

Floral Local U.F.W.A. annual St. Patrick's Calico Ball, on Wednesday, March 16, at the East Community Hall, with Mrs. Trainor's Orchestra.

Mrs. J. T. Davis, who underwent an operation in the Holy Cross Hospital, is convalescing. She will be out of the hospital in a few days.

To err is human;  
To forgive is divine.

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## CHATTER.

G. McLeod was a city visitor over the weekend.

Triplet lambs were born on the

J. P. Metheral farm on January 19,

Doug Carmichael spent Sunday

in Carstairs.

Doc sporting a new Dodge. You

can't hide the profits,

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold

High, Crossfield, a daughter, Janu-

ary 25th.

Miss Alice Collicutt, of Olds,

spent the weekend at her parental

home here.

Archie McFadyen and Miss Flo-

rence Cruickshank were Calgary

visitors Saturday.

Farmers! If you have any stray

cattle on your place, report to Po-

lice Headquarters at once.

Messrs. O. Egan and M. Conrad

of Lambert, Minnesota, were

business visitors in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tatterton and

family, of Calgary, visited with the

Chronicle Walls, Sunday evening.

We are glad to see T. Tredaway

on Broadway, after being indisposed

for a few days last week.

Mr. Hugh McIntyre, Miss Marg-

aret McIntyre and Mrs. D. McFad-

yen were Calgary visitors Tuesday.

G. Y. McLean was a visitor in

Crossfield last week. While here,

Mr. McLean gave the Village books

the once-over.

Dunk McIsaac, for the past few

years a resident of the Crossfield

district, left Monday last for his

home in Perth, Scotland.

The ladies of the Rebekah Lodge

are sponsoring a social evening,

with bridge and cribbage, to be

held on Monday, February 14th.

Everyone welcome.

Frank Purvis played lead for the

rink that won the Old Timers

curling event in Calgary. Frank

says Crossfield curlers didn't do

too bad after all.

Someone needs glasses, Miss

Wilma Thompson was rushed to

the hospital on Sunday morning

last, and not Miss Elais, as stated

in last week's Chronicle.

The following were noticed at

the hockey game at Calgary last

Saturday: Clint Thompson, Mrs.

Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bills,

Mr. Van Maaron and Mrs. L.

Dunningham.

A whale of a Chinese feast was

enjoyed in the Oliver Cafe dining

room Sunday evening, when a huge

bird crowd gathered to give Gee

Wye, our former Editor, a big feed

and one he will never forget.

On Friday last, the rink of old

time curlers took part in the Old

Timers'spiel at Calgary. The

Crossfield rink was composed of

Dad Hall, lead; R. J. Hendry, second

Ed Meyers, 3rd, and Wm. Stralo,

Skip.

Douglas Hoover, young son of

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoover, had the

misfortune to fall from a pile of

hay bales, break his arm and receive

a cut in his head, last Thursday.

He was taken to the General Hospi-

tal, Calgary.

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE VILLAGE OF CROSSFIELD

For the Year Ending December 31st, 1937.

Receipts	Payments
Balances as at December 31, 1936	Outstanding Cheques, December 31, 1936
In Bank.....	Municipal.....
Cash on hand.....	School.....
Social Service Tax Trust Account.....	Administration.....
School Tax Trust Account.....	Salaries—Sec. Treas.....
Municipal Taxes and Costs.....	Audit Fees.....
Business Taxes.....	Bond Premium.....
Aid and Relief.....	Printing, Postage and Stationery.....
Licenses.....	Land Titles Office Fees.....
Rentals.....	Insurance and Exchange.....
Dog Tags.....	Sundry Expenses.....
Cemetery.....	Office Fuel.....
Rinks, etc.....	Protection of Person and Property.....
Commission: Social Service and School.....	Police Expenses.....
Nightwatchman Levies.....	Dog Poison.....
Lot Sold.....	Batteries, N.P.....
Loans, Municipal.....	Grants, Aid and Relief:
Refunds Received.....	Mothers' Allowance.....
Sale of Fire Bell.....	Old Age Pensions.....
Over Deposit.....	M.H.O.....
Trust Monies Received.....	Sanitation.....
Social Service.....	Nuisance.....
School.....	Indigent Relief.....
Outstanding Cheques or Overdraft, December 31, 1937	Unemployment Relief.....
Municipal.....	Grants.....
	Public Works
	Streets.....
	Sidewalks.....
	Street Lighting.....
	Parks.....
	Rinks.....
	Crematory.....
	Women's Compensation Board.....
	Street Lights.....
	Rental C.P.R. Lot.....
	Dairy Inspector.....
	Street Coloured Lamps.....
	Debitures: Principal.....
	Interest.....
	Loans: Municipal—Principal.....
	Interest.....
	Refund of Overpaid License.....
	Trust Monies Remitted: Social Service.....
	School.....
	Balances December 31, 1937
	In Bank.....
	Cash on Hand.....
	Social Service Tax Trust Account.....
	Cash on Hand.....
	School Tax Trust Account.....
	Total.....

Assets	Liabilities
Balances December 31, 1937 (Municipal only)	Outstanding Cheques December 31, 1937
Bank Balance December 31, 1937 (Municipal)	(Municipal only).....
Cash on Hand December 31, 1937 (Municipal)	Accounts Payable.....
Uncollected Municipal Taxes.....	Over Deposit.....
Electric Light and Power Taxes.....	Outstanding Cheques December 31, 1937.....
Commissions Receivable: Social Service	Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1937
Stationery, etc.....	Social Service Taxes.....
Fixed Assets:	Collections Not Remitted.....
Land and Buildings for Village Purposes.....	School Arrears.....
Fire Hall Equipment.....	Collections Not Remitted.....
Coloured Lights.....	
Trust Assets: Balances December 31, 1937	
Social Service Tax Trust Account.....	
School Tax Trust Account.....	
Uncollected Trust Taxes, December 31, 1937	
Social Service Taxes.....	
School Arrears.....	
Total.....	

Tax Statement			Auditor's Certificate
Equalized Valuation set by	Municipal	Social	SCHOOL
Alta. Asst's Commission \$50200		Service	A's Reported
Equalized Value for each Tax \$206,077	\$206,077	\$55,890	
Cost of Factions (mills) the Dollar			
Current Taxes Levied (except School)	121,541	167,62	
Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1937	21,252	118,93	5613.28
Penalties and Costs added in 1937	7.12	20.74	
Taxes Re-instated in 1937 (Power \$9.00 at 10)	93.00		
TOTAL DUES	\$293.73		5613.28
Collections in 1937, including Costs	2938.17	118.52	411.56
Cancellations Authorized in 1937	13.40		21.66
Dis-counts on Taxes	288.23		118.52
Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1937	3729.85	175.20	5148.08
Trust Taxes Collected but not paid at December 31, '36	13.58		411.56
TOTAL DUES (accounted for below)	\$132.10		111.56
Paid in 1937 to Prov. Gov't School and Hospital Board	98.89		117.04
Collected (or due) by Remuneration by Village but not paid Dec. 31, 1937	33.21		294.52

I have audited the accounts of the Village of Crossfield for the year ending December 31, 1937, and have compared the said accounts with their relative vouchers and certify that in my opinion the foregoing financial statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Village, according to the best of my information, the explanations given to me, as shown by the records, subject to any qual-
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